

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Application of DeTora et al.

Art Unit 1794

Serial No. 10/716,581

Filed November 19, 2003

Confirmation No. 6291

For PROCESS FOR MANUFACTURE OF GRANULAR SUGAR INGREDIENT FOR  
COMPRESSED CONFECTIONS HAVING IMPROVED STRENGTH

Examiner Carolyn A. Paden

July 21, 2009

**RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION**

TO THE COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS,

SIR:

In response to the Office action mailed April 23, 2009, please consider the following remarks.

**Remarks** begin on page 2 of this paper.

**Conclusion** is on page 12 of this paper.